

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3414
ANSWERED ON:11.12.2001
PURCHASE OF PROPERTY BY TERRORISTS IN DELHI
GORDHANBHAI JAVIA

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that under world operators reported by having links with terrorists are purchasing property on the outskirts of the capital in order to set up permanent base in the capital;
- (b) if so, whether it was unearthed by the CBI during investigations of the recent seizure of a cache of arms and ammunition including RDX that was bound of Delhi;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the action taken so far in this regard ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH.VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a) to (d): In the course of interrogation of the accused persons arrested by the Central Bureau of Investigation in connection with the case relating to the seizure of a cache of arms from Santhalpur in the Patan District of Gujarat, it was revealed that one of the accused persons had acquired a plot of land in Jaitpur area of Delhi in a benami transaction and was constructing a flat there. The accused person is in judicial custody at Patan, Gujarat.